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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date: 01/11/1993

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION ON CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON HOT-ROLLED BARS, RODS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL (SBQ) FROM BRAZIL

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS DISTRICT DIRECTORS, AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION ON CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON HOT-ROLLED BARS, RODS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL (SBQ) FROM BRAZIL

- 1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON JUNE 3, 1993, NOTICE OF ITS FINAL DETERMINATION THAT SBQ IS BEING SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE.
- 2. THE PRODUCTS COVERED IN THIS INVESTIGATION ARE:
 HOT-FINISHED ALLOY AND CARBON BARS AND RODS OF SPECIAL BAR
 QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR
 QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL.

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THE TERM "HOT-FINISHED ALLOY AND CARBON BARS AND RODS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL" COVERS CERTAIN HOT-FINISHED CARBON AND ALLOY (OTHER THAN STAINLESS STEEL, HIGH-SPEED STEEL, SILICO-MANGANESE STEEL, AND TOOL STEEL) STEEL BARS AND RODS, OTHER THAN FORGED, WHICH HAVE A UNIFORM SOLID CROSS-SECTION ALONG THEIR WHOLE LENGTH AND ARE IN THE SHAPE OF CIRCLES, SEGMENTS OF CIRCLES, OVALS, RECTANGLES, OR OTHER CONVEX POLYGONS, AND DO NOT CONFORM TO THE DEFINITIONS FOR SEMIFINISHED STEEL, FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS, HOT-ROLLED BARS AND RODS IN IRREGULARLY WOUND COILS, REINFORCING BARS AND RODS, AND WIRE. THE SUBJECT BARS AND RODS ARE OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL THAT ARE DESCRIBED IN SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS (SAE) SPECIFICATIONS J403, J404, J411, J1081, J1249, J1268, AND MODIFICATIONS THEREOF, WHETHER THEY BE DOMESTIC OR FOREIGN SPECIFICATIONS, OF OTHER THAN MERCHANT QUALITY GRADES M1000 THROUGH M1044, NOT CONTAINING BY WEIGHT 0.03 PERCENT OR MORE OF LEAD OR 0.05 PERCENT OR MORE OF BISMUTH.

THE TERM "SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL" COVERS CERTAIN ALLOY STEEL INGOTS (OTHER THAN STAINLESS STEEL, HIGH-SPEED STEEL, SILICO-MANGANESE STEEL, TOOL STEEL, ANDHIGH-NICKEL ALLOY STEEL), AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF CARBON AND ALLOY (OTHER THAN STAINLESS STEEL, HIGH-SPEED STEEL, SILICO-MANGANESE STEEL, TOOL STEEL, AND HIGH-NICKEL ALLOY STEEL) STEEL OF CIRCULAR OR RECTANGULAR (INCLUDING SQUARE) CROSS-SECTIONWITH A WIDTH MEASURING LESS THAN FOUR TIMES THE THICKNESS. WHICH ARE CONTINUOUS CAST OR HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO NO MORE THAN PRIMARY HOT ROLLING, WHICH POSSESS A ROUGH SURFACE AND DO NOT MEET THE DIMENSIONAL TOLERANCES FOR BAR PRODUCTS, OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL THAT ARE DESCRIBED IN SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS (SAE) SPECIFICATIONS J403, J404, J411, J1081, J1249, J1268, AND MODIFICATIONS THEREOF, WHETHER THEY BE DOMESTIC OR FOREIGN SPECIFICATIONS, NOT CONTAINING BY WEIGHT 0.03PERCENT OF MORE OF LEAD 0.05 PERCENT OR MORE OF BISMUTH.

3. MOST FINISHED PRODUCTS COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION ARE Message Date: 06/04/1993 Message Number: 3155111 Page 3 of 6

PROVIDED, UNDER SUBHEADINGS 7214.30.000, 7214.40.0010, 7214.00.0030, 7214.00.0050, 7214.50.0010, 7214.50.0030, 7214.60.0010, 7214.60.0030, 7214.60.0050, 7228.30.8005, AND 7228.30.8050.

FOR SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS, THE SUBHEADINGS ARE 7207.11.0000, 7207.12.0010, 7207.19.0030, 7207.20.0025, 7207.20.0075, 7224.10.0075, 7224.90.0045, AND 7224.90.0065, AND ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF

THE SCOPE OF THIS PROCEEDING IS DISPOSITIVE.

- 4. FOR INVESTIGATION PURPOSES ONLY, THIS ANTIDUMPING DUTY CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION NUMBER: A-351-813.
- 5. FOR ALL EXPORTS OF CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON BARS AND RODS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY STEEL FROM BRAZIL, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH PRODUCT THAT IS ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE ON OR AFTER JANUARY 11, 1993, AND SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE ESTIMATED FINAL MARGIN PERCENTAGES LISTED BELOW.

MANUFACTURER

PRODUCER CUSTOMS ID FINAL MARGIN EXPORTER NUMBER PERCENTAGE

SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS A-351-213

ACO MINAS GERAIS S.A. A-351-213-001 19.67

ALL OTHERS A-351-213-000 19.67

FINISHED BARS AND RODS A-351-214

INDUSTRIAS VILLARES S.A. A-351-214-001 27.00 AND ITS RELATED COMPANIES

ALL OTHERS A-351-214-000 27.00

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THE AD-CVD CUSTOMS MODULE HAS BEEN UPDATED TO REFLECT THE ABOVE INFORMATION.

- 6. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH, BY E-MAIL TO ATTRIBUTE HQ OAB. THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTING PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT LINDA PASDEN, CHERIE RUSNAK OR WILL SJOBERG AT 202-482-3793, OF THE OFFICE OF AGREEMENTS COMPLIANCE, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.
- 7. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

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